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To date, we have not received the expected Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), After a thorough search of our file wrapper for Appl. No. 09/980,956 (our File No. A-71184/DJB/MAK) failed to disclose any Notice of Missing Requirements, my secretary, Todd Leone, telephoned the PCT Help Desk at (703) 308-6162 on or about





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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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Additionally the following defects have been observed:

 Additional claim fees of \$694 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees





are due.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional f es required for this application is \$694 for a Large Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$694
  - \$414 for 28 total claims over 20.
  - \$280 for multiple dependant claims surcharge.

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